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For : DEVICE FOR ADMIXING GAS TO A PLASTIC MELT

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claim 3 as follows:

--3. (Amended) Apparatus as set forth in claim 1
characterised in that there is provided a sensor (6) for
measuring the molten material pressure.--